

## U. S. DELEGATES AND FRENCH IN ACCORD ON PACT

"Views" of President Wilson's Attitude Declared to Be Fantastic.

## A NEW SOVIET REPUBLIC

Political Movement of Great Importance Said to Be Well Under Way in the Region Between Hamburg and Bremen; More Trouble in Bavaria.

By Associated Press.  
PARIS, April 8.—(Havas).—The views of President Wilson's attitude on French claims before the peace conference put forth by "certain American circles" are declared by the Matin to be "entirely fantastic." President Wilson, the Matin said, is conscientiously studying the final details of the preliminary peace. The Petit Parisien comments in much the same vein, emphatically denying that there are differences between the French and American delegations, especially regarding financial questions as has been claimed.

The Paris newspapers, as a whole, reiterate the view that it will be several days before the work of the conference will be completed in such a way that peace may be made simultaneously with Germany and her allies. They predict that the meeting in Versailles probably will take place within 15 or 20 days, however.

PARIS, April 8.—The council of four met this morning at the residence of Premier Lloyd George. President Wilson was not able to attend the forenoon session but hoped to be able to attend the afternoon session. It was planned to devote the afternoon session to the subject of responsibility for the war, including the question of a tribunal to try the former emperor, the former crown prince and others on which divided reports have been presented.

It was said by American members of the peace conference that the general situation was improved somewhat today.

PARIS, April 8.—The drafting committee of the league of nations has now completed its work.

MUNICH REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT EXPLOITING COPENHAGEN, April 8.—Demonstrations have occurred in Munich against the new revolutionary government of Bavaria, according to Berlin dispatches. The demonstrators were dispersed by troops, the dispatches state.

GERMAN MINISTER OF JUSTICE ARRESTED COPENHAGEN, April 8.—Herr Landsberg, minister of justice in the national German government, was arrested yesterday at Magdeburg, the capital of Prussian Saxony, by members of regiments stationed there, a Magdeburg dispatch reports. General von Kliest, in command of the fourth army, and his staff, also were arrested.

POLITICAL UPHEAVAL IMMEDIATE AT HAMBURG COPENHAGEN, April 8.—A political movement of great importance is in progress in the region of Hamburg, reports from Berlin said. Dr. Herr Hauffenberg, Spartaean leader, it is added, have almost succeeded in making themselves masters of the situation and in converting Hamburg and the region between Hamburg and Bremen into a soviet republic.

## GREAT WHEAT CROP

Largest Ever Grown is Forecast by the Government Today.  
By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, April 8.—The largest crop of winter wheat ever grown was forecast for this year by the Department of Agriculture today, basing its estimate on conditions existing April 1.

The enormous yield of 327,000,000 bushels was announced, which, at the government's guaranteed price of \$2.26 a bushel, places the crop's value at \$1,891,620,000.

## JEWISH EVANGELIST HERE

Gerius Hishmoh Delivers First Salvation Army Address.  
Three people were converted last night after the strenuous talk on his life by Gerius Hishmoh and the plea that he put forth to sinners later. Tonight, he will give a talk on "Ten Pieces of Silver." He has the ten pieces of silver with him and will exhibit them to the audience.

Gerius Hishmoh is both an inspiring and interesting talker whom everyone should hear at the Salvation Army barracks.

Connors Den in "Pen."  
PHILADELPHIA, April 8.—A counterfeiter den in full operation has been discovered within the walls of the eastern penitentiary here. Three convicts were doing their work in the cells at night.

Year to Workhouse.  
Fred Miller charged with receiving stolen goods by John Harris of this city, and also by Paul Hillis, was given one year to the workhouse.

## DRASTIC DRUG LAW REGULATING SALE AND USE OF "DOPE" IN PA.

All Habit-Forming Drugs to be Systematically Traced; Severe Penalties Imposed Upon Offenders.

HARRISBURG, April 8.—In anticipation that there will be an effort to extend the "dope" traffic when nationwide prohibition becomes effective, the State Department of Health has prepared a drastic bill to enforce the federal law regulating the sale and use of habit-forming drugs.

Under its provisions every grain of "dope" brought into or sent out of the state would be traced from the source to the consumer through the medium of monthly reports to be submitted to the State Health Department by every person through whose hands the various drugs enumerated must pass. It would be unlawful to have any of these drugs in one's possession except that he or she is a manufacturer, dealer, physician, veterinarian, pharmacist or dentist, or in the case of a consumer, unless it was secured through a bona fide prescription from a licensed practitioner.

Retailers would be prohibited from dispensing except in pursuance of a written prescription issued by a physician, dentist or veterinarian. Severe penalties are provided for dealers who do not label their containers as prescribed.

Any and every person is prohibited from administering any of the enumerated drugs to himself or others except under the advice and direction of a duly licensed physician or dentist, and they are prohibited from prescribing it for the use of addicts or for the cure or treatment of some malady other than the drug habit.

Violations of the law subject offenders to fine and imprisonment. In addition offending practitioners, pharmacists or dealers shall forfeit their license.

## CAPTAIN STONE PRESENTED WITH WATCH AND CHAIN

Gift is From Members of Company 6, Betoening Esteem in Which Retiring Commander is Held.  
At the drill of Company G, Third Pennsylvania Reserve Militia, held at the armory last night, Captain A. O. Stone, whose resignation takes effect Friday when he will leave here preparatory to going to Beaver county to become scout executive in the Boy Scout work there, was presented with a handsome gold watch, chain and charm.

The presentation was made by Lieutenant Kent Clifton in behalf of the boys of the company. The presentation to Captain Stone was given as a token of the appreciation the members of Company G feel toward him as their commander, and the man who made the militia company a success in this city. The watch has the initials "A. O. S." engraved on the back and inside the back cover are the words "From the Boys of Company G—April 7, 1919."

The drill last night was the last to be held under Captain Stone. No successor to the retiring captain has yet been named.

## F. W. WOOLWORTH DIES

Head of Chain of Five and Ten Cent Stores Stricken Suddenly.  
NEW YORK, April 8.—Frank W. Woolworth, who started a five and ten cent store at Utica, N. Y., 40 years ago, on a capital of \$50 and eventually became the millionaire proprietor of a great chain of these stores in the United States, Canada and England, died suddenly early today at his home here at Glen Cove, L. I.

In addition to establishing a business with profits said to be nearly \$3,000,000, Mr. Woolworth erected the 51-story Woolworth building in lower New York, said to be the tallest building in the world. He was born on a farm at Rodman, Jefferson county, N. Y., in April, 1852.

## NEW ROAD ENGINEER

E. C. McCollough Named to Succeed John T. Gephart, Jr.  
E. C. McCollough, who has been assistant county road engineer for some time past, has been appointed to the head of that department by the county commissioners, his appointment becoming effective April 1. Mr. McCollough succeeds John T. Gephart, Jr., who has held the position of county road engineer for three years.

Mr. McCollough formerly had charge of the bridges but that position has been eliminated.

President's Liner Sails April 11.  
NEW YORK, April 8.—The sailing date of President Wilson's steamer, the George Washington, has been advanced from April 14 to April 11, which is Friday next. The transport's sailing hour is fixed at 4:30 P. M. for Brest. She should arrive at the French port about April 17.

Committee Meets on Wednesday.  
A meeting of the Red Cross street fair committee will be held on Wednesday evening in the office of Dr. C. S. Campbell for a settlement of the minstrel show which was held recently and also to discuss other matters.

## AIDED BY WOMEN DRYS APPARENTLY WIN IN MICHIGAN

Incomplete Returns Indicate Defeat of Prohibition Act Amendment.

## ROAD BOND ISSUE WINS

Fifty Millions For Improvements is Provided Under Program Approved by the Voters; Republicans Led By Supreme Court Judges, Carry State.

By Associated Press.  
DETROIT, Mich., April 8.—Casting the heaviest vote ever recorded at a biennial spring election, Michigan voters, on the face of incomplete returns early today, rejected yesterday a proposed amendment to modify the prohibition law, adopted a \$50,000,000 road-building program and gave the Republican ticket, in minor state offices, an overwhelming majority. The feminine vote, a factor for the first time in a state election, figured prominently in the balloting on the liquor amendment.

Returns from approximately one-fourth of the precincts in the state indicated that the total vote would exceed 700,000. So intense was interest in the proposed amendment to legalize the sale of light wines and beer that no attempt was made in newspaper offices up until early today to tabulate the vote for state officers, headed by two justices of the Supreme court.

## CAMP SITE FOR BOY SCOUTS IS LOCATED AT WHITE'S BRIDGE

Troops of City Will Spend Summer Outing in the Indian Creek Valley.  
At a meeting of the executive committee of the Local Council of Boy Scouts held last night the plans for the coming summer were tentatively discussed. Boy Scouts are expected to play an active part in the city this year, and especially during the home-coming celebration for the soldiers, when they will be ready to assist in every way possible. A meeting of the entire council has been called for Friday night, to be held at the Baltimore & Ohio railroad Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock.

The camp committee reported last night that the site selected for the coming year would be at White's Bridge in the Indian Creek valley. An excellent site has been located there, it was reported, and it is the plan of the council to erect a permanent camp for the scouts. A mess hall and kitchen will be constructed of substantial material to be ready for use all year round, making it possible for the scouts to take an overnight hike if they desire.

It is at present the plan of the council to have the scout camp this year situated at White's Bridge. In addition to two other books of pedagogy, all applicants for professional certificates will be examined in the county course of study and in "Fundamentals in Methods." Applicants for provision certificates will be examined in the county course of study and in "Fundamentals in Methods."

## FRANCIS WRIGHT LEAVES

Wright-Metzler Advertising Manager Goes With Warren Firm.  
B. P. Reynolds of Zanesville, O., has succeeded Francis W. Wright as advertising manager for the Connellsville and Uniontown stores of the Wright-Metzler company. Mr. Wright, having gone to Zanesville, Pa., to assume a similar position with the Smith-Metzger-Wright company there and also with the same company's two stores in New York state. Mr. Reynolds has had a wide experience in his line of work and has already taken charge of his position here.

## FALSE FIRE ALARM

The fire department answered a false alarm last night turned in at the corner of Johnston and Gibson avenues at 8:05 o'clock. It was said this morning that this was the first false alarm this year.

## HELD FOR COURT

Clyde Taylor, who was charged with assault and battery by Edward Mullen, was given a hearing, this morning before Alderman Fred Munk and held for court.

## FORMER DIPLOMAT DIES

OSWEGO, N. Y., April 8.—Elliott David, former American vice consul at Zurich, Switzerland, was found dead here today, a suicide by hanging.

## FAYETTE TEACHERS MUST BE POSTED ON THE WORLD WAR

Examinations in Geography and History Will Be Based on the War, County Superintendent Announces.

World war history and geography will have a prominent part in all the examinations for teachers' certificates in Fayette county, according to the announcement made by County Superintendent of Schools John S. Carroll in announcing the dates of teachers' examinations in the county.

The superintendent states that a knowledge of world conditions and the events that stood out prominently in the great world war were, in his opinion, necessary in order that the teacher might bring modern education to the students as well as the fundamentals which had been handed down for generations.

Following are the time and place of the various grades of teachers' examinations in the county, with instructions to teachers desiring to take the same:

Professionals  
Dunbar borough, Friday and Saturday, June 6 and 7, 8 o'clock.  
Renewals of Professionals  
Dunbar borough, Saturday, June 7, 8 o'clock.  
Professionals (Normal Students Only)  
Redstone township high school, Saturday, June 21, 8 o'clock.  
Southwestern State Normal, Saturday, June 21, 8 o'clock.  
Markleysburg borough, Tuesday, June 24, 9 o'clock.  
North Union township high school, Thursday, June 26, 8 o'clock.  
Dunbar township high school, Friday, June 27, 8 o'clock.  
Dunbar township high school, Saturday, June 28, 8 o'clock.

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE BILL INTRODUCED AT HARRISBURG

By Associated Press.  
HARRISBURG, April 8.—Senator Vane of Philadelphia this afternoon introduced a joint resolution in the Senate providing for an amendment to the state constitution which would give women the right to vote in Pennsylvania.

To B. & O. Veterans' Association Entertainment Thursday Night.  
The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Veterans' association will hold its second annual entertainment in the high school auditorium on Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock. W. W. Haines, chairman of the invitation committee, extends a welcome to all the business men of the city.

Preparations are being made for several hundred guests. There will be music by the Baltimore & Ohio band, addresses, vocal selections and recitations. Refreshments will be served in the gymnasium.

## BUSINESS MEN INVITED

At a conference with Department of Justice officials in Pittsburgh yesterday in regard to the "dope" traffic which was uncovered when packages of it were discovered in the mails, the mayor and Dr. T. R. Francis, president of the board of health, learned that the practice was pretty well stopped here.

## DRUG TRAFFIC CURBED

The mayor this morning said the doctors of the city had practically agreed not to give out any further prescriptions to those afflicted or if they did to be very careful about what was prescribed.

Asks \$5,000 Heart Balm.  
Suit was filed in court in Uniontown today by Miss Eliza Green of West Virginia against Robert Wilkinson of Luzerne township for the sum of \$5,000 as heart balm. The woman alleges that he asked her to marry him on January 19, 1915, but since then has changed his mind.

## WEATHER FORECAST

Thundershowers this afternoon or tonight; cooler; the moon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.	1919	1918
Maximum	85	60
Minimum	70	48
Mean	78	54

The Young river remained stationary during the night at 140 feet.

## ENDING OF WAR BOOSTS DEMAND FOR MINE JOBS

Twenty-Nine Taking Tests Here Today For Positions as Foremen.

## SOBRIETY IS DEMANDED

Examining Board Impresses on All Candidates Fact That This is One of the Essentials; Educational Qualifications Alone Are Not Sufficient.

Twenty-nine candidates are taking the examinations for mine foremen at the parochial school hall today, this is an increase compared with the number of men who were candidates last year. In 1918 there were approximately 21 who took the tests. The examinations will continue this afternoon, tomorrow and Thursday. On Friday the fire boss examinations will be held.

The increase in the number of candidates this year is due to the fact that the war has ended, and a number of men who were taken in the draft are returning. Then, too, the men are not working at the strenuous pace which was maintained during the war and now they have more time for study.

Before the examinations started this morning the men were told that in addition to being citizens of the United States and having a certain amount of mine experience, it would also be necessary for them to present clean bills in regard to sobriety. If a candidate was of known intemperate habits, the men were told, it would be useless for him to waste time to take the examination as the board would not grant him a certificate even though he had made 90 per cent in the tests.

The men taking the examinations are: Wesley Goe, Vanderbilt; Clemon E. Nicholson, Leisenring No. 1; Charles Burke, Trotter; Frank Shady, Elm Grove; H. M. Burkett, Wyano; Michael O'Laughlin, Leisenring No. 1; John H. Williams, Wyano; W. E. Baldwin, Connellsville; Charles R. Ridgway, Connellsville; Samuel E. Dunn, T. George Talley, Tarry; Charles Oswald, Adelaide; Carl F. Kock, Scutella; James V. Caffery, Adelaide; Frank Mains, Leisenring No. 3; John L. Angus, Leisenring No. 3; William Bates, Leisenring No. 3; Edward Bailey, Bitner; Joseph Lamas, Dunbar; Edwin Gough, Juniata; Angelo Basile, Connellsville; Anthony Gilmore, Dunbar; Robert Finkner, Juniata; John W. Gorman, Indian Head; Francis J. McDermis, Yukon; Amos H. Ertut, Yukon; John O. Miller, Yukon; George Jones, Mount Pleasant; John Sypkovic, Vanderbilt.

The questions given the men this morning are:

- (a) For what does the Bituminous Mining Law of Pennsylvania provide? (b) What is meant by the term Bituminous coal mine, and the term Excavations and Workings?
- As Mine Foreman, what observations would you make in your daily examination of the working places?
- What are the principal requirements on haulage roads to insure economic haulage of coal?
- What are the provisions of the law relative to electric fuses and automatic circuit breakers?
- In a mine where the heating of the air has shown the tracks out of alignment and redwood head room so much that on haulage roads the bottom must be lifted or roof shot down to permit the passage of mules and cars, the entries are driven 10 feet wide on 40 feet centers and corners turned off entries on 30 feet centers and driven 20 feet wide. What is the thickness of room pillars, and assuming you were taking charge, what suggestions would you make to eliminate these troubles?
- What measures would you take to secure the best possible results from a fan, the capacity of which is limited and the demands upon which are close to its capacity?

## MOUNT PLEASANT TO GO INTO COURT TO GET WATER PLANT

Necessary Procedure is Authorized at Meeting of Town Council Last Night.

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, April 8.—Definite action looking toward acquisition of a municipally-owned water plant were taken by town council last evening when a resolution, introduced by Councilman F. E. Painter providing for the proper court procedure, was unanimously adopted. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, it is the desire of the borough of Mount Pleasant to operate its own water works plant, or system for the supplying of water to said borough, which is now owned by a private corporation known as the Mount Pleasant Water company, therefore be it

"Resolved, that the president and secretary be authorized, and they are hereby authorized, to present a petition to the court of common pleas of Westmoreland county setting forth that said municipality is desirous of owning the said water plant or system and that it will be necessary in order to make payment therefor to issue bonds secured by such water works plant or system including all property, real or personal, used in connection therewith and reasonably necessary for its purpose and ask the court to appoint three disinterested civil engineers as appraisers to value and appraise such plant or system and to file their report in the prothonotary's office within three months after their appointment unless such time be extended by the court."

The resolution was introduced by Mr. Painter following a report of a committee that visited a number of towns in the central part of the state which have their own water plants, the investigations into which convinced the committee that the time is ripe for Mount Pleasant to have its own water works.

## THE FINAL DIVIDEND TO BANK DEPOSITORS TO BE MADE MAY 1

Receiver Strawn to Pay Interest in Addition to 100 Per Cent on Money in Bank When Closed.  
Receiver John H. Strawn of the First National Bank of Uniontown, which closed its doors January 18, 1915, announced yesterday that the final dividend, amounting to \$238,668, will be paid the depositors on May 1. The depositors have been paid 100 per cent on the dollar. The dividend to be paid May 1 is the eighth declared by Receiver Strawn since the bank closed, and represents 16.12 per cent interest on the money which was in the bank when it closed. There was approximately \$2,200,000 deposited in the bank.

According to Receiver Strawn there still remains a considerable sum which is in dispute, foreigners holding notes against officials of the bank, including J. V. Thompson, former president of the institution, claiming the money. These claims and others will be adjusted in court.

The depositors were paid \$1,654,371.54, and \$600,000, representing emergency currency issued by the bank, was returned to the government. The first dividend was issued two years after the bank closed. The largest dividend paid the depositors followed the sale of the First National Bank building here one year ago. The property was purchased by James I. Peacher for \$700,000 and later acquired by the Fayette Title & Trust company, which occupies the banking rooms.

## MANY WOMEN NEEDED

Fifty Trying to do Work of 100 at Red Cross Work Rooms.  
There is a crying need of women at the Red Cross work rooms according to an appeal issued today by the Red Cross women trying to do the work of 100 at the Red Cross rooms. The attendance has been steadily decreasing, now since we have a definite amount of work and a definite time in which to do it. Why don't the women of our city make a special effort? The difficult garments have been finished. All that remains to be done is the simplest kind of sewing—women's and children's refuge garments.

"Connellsville has not failed yet in any way work. Now that there are but three weeks left to finish our last quota, are we selfish enough not to postpone some of our home tasks, which can wait, and come to the rooms and finish work which is right before our eyes? It would be too bad to spoil the city's previous good record by failing in this, our last assignment. We are now going to do, fail or succeed?"

## EAGLES PLAN BENEFIT

Stag Banquet and Motion Pictures at Hall Thursday Night.  
The Fraternal Order of Eagles have arranged for a soldier benefit for Thursday evening in the form of a stag banquet and moving pictures at the hall. The affair will be at the Eagles hall in the Soloson building and will last from 8 o'clock until toward midnight. J. V. Mitchell, the presiding officer, is in charge and promises the very best to all who come. The public is invited.

## MEN INVOLVED IN CRIME WAVE LAND IN PRISON

Three to Four Years For Negro Gunman Who Fired at Officers.

## HEAVIER DOSE GIVEN

To Harry Couchman. Also Implicated in Crime Here; Belle Vernon Slayer Sent to Penitentiary for 17 to 20 Years; Sentences Total 50 Years.

Sentences aggregating 50 years were handed down in court this morning when three men convicted of murder and others were given various terms in the county jail, workhouse and penitentiary.

The large number of sentences is a result of the wave of crime which seemed to be sweeping over the county, and in order that this might be broken up examples were made of these given terms today.

The heaviest sentence was handed out to Frank Ammoroff of Belle Vernon who killed a forger at that place on the night of the false peace celebration. He got 17 to 20 years in the penitentiary.

Andy Kuchner of Elm Grove, convicted of murder in the second degree for the killing of Adam Schinzky was given from four to six years in the penitentiary and Tony Zidkovich, convicted of the murder of John Merich was also given four to six years in that institution.

James Jackson, colored, and Harry Couchman, who were arrested by Patrolman D. H. Turner and Councilman M. B. Price here after holding up James Twa and after Jackson had snatched a revolver in the face of the officers were sentenced. Jackson got three to four years and Couchman got five to seven years.

W. J. Jackson, charged with pointing firearms and carrying concealed weapons was given one year and eight months in the workhouse. Richard Brown, colored, charged with robbing a man of this city of \$5 and who claims his home was originally in Harrisburg was also given a year to the workhouse.

Frank Harvey and Harry Beal, the latter colored, arrested for breaking and entering the livery stable of Harry Dull in this city were sentenced to the workhouse. Harvey got one year and Beal pulled down nine months.

John Armsread, charged with carrying concealed weapons and also robbery was given from three to five years in the penitentiary. William Williams, charged by his boarding boss at Butler with assault and battery and carrying concealed weapons, was given six months in the county jail on the assault and battery charge and got nine months and a fine of \$75 for carrying the weapon.

Robert Patterson and Cliff McCrea, charged with stealing the wardrobe of the Manhattan Players while that company was here several weeks ago, were sentenced this morning. Patterson was sent to Huntingdon. McCrea was asked if he was willing to work, being given his preference between working on the county roads or going to the workhouse. He agreed to work and was sentenced to a year in the county jail.

Paul Kaiser, charged with fornication, was given 90 days in the county jail.

Charles W. King, arrested here on a charge of assault and battery and aggravated assault and battery and unlawful cutting, made an earnest plea for leniency. He said his home was in Cincinnati, O., and that he had been brought here by the Pennsylvania railroad company to work. He gave the wrong address when arrested, he said, because his wife is ill and he was afraid the news of him being in trouble might tend to make her condition worse. He was told if he could get transportation back to Cincinnati he would be released. He was given a year in the county jail.

Jesse James, arrested in this city for surety of the peace, was released this morning. He was being held in jail because he could not furnish bond and it was discovered that he had been there for seven months, nothing having been done with his case.

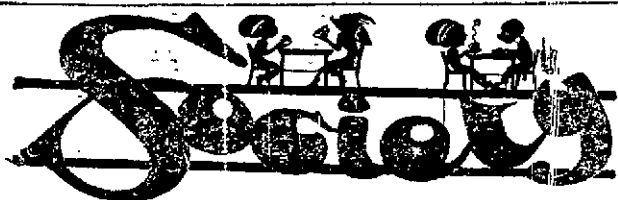
## "FROLIC" COMING WELL

Good Entertainment Assured in Next Home-Coming Benefit.

A large number attended the rehearsal last night for the "Winter Garden Frolic" that is to be given in Connellsville May 1, 2 and 3 for the benefit of the home-coming celebration. A number of new faces were seen and it is assured that the show will be a big success.

C. M. Couch, who is directing the show, has the program almost completed and promises to give every audience a run for their money. Some of the most popular local comedians have been secured for the show and have been placed in parts in which they are best. Several new songs from the latest shows have been added to the program and the older ones taken off.

There will be another rehearsal this evening and also Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock and all members of the cast are requested to come on time in order to make the rehearsal as short as possible.



Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Bertha Kinney of Columbus, O., and William J. O'Toole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. O'Toole of Gary, W. Va., solemnized Wednesday morning, February 26th, in the Catholic church in Columbus. The bridegroom has a number of friends in Connelville and vicinity. Following a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. O'Toole left for Welsh, W. Va., to reside, the former being president of the Crystal Block Coal company there.

Miss Grayce Dunham will entertain the T. C. T. Fancypark club Thursday night at her home in East Patterson avenue.

Mrs. Lena Cook of Uniontown and Joseph G. Williams of West Brownsville, were married last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Morrow in Uniontown. Rev. D. E. Miner of Dunbar officiated. Following a brief honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Williams will be at home in Brownsville. Mrs. C. L. Irks of this city attended the wedding.

Between 50 and 60 guests attended a reception given Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Semboer in Uniontown, in honor of Miss Edith Sikes, a Red Cross nurse, who recently arrived from France.

The J. O. C. class of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet tonight at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Richardson in South Pittsburgh street. All members are invited.

Mrs. John Carroll Blaser of Pittsburgh, formerly Miss Marian Munson of this city, will be an attendant at the marriage of her school friend, Miss Eleanor Virginia Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsay Long of Pittsburgh, and Arthur E. Preck of Toronto, Canada, to be solemnized tomorrow evening in the Ben Avon Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh.

A district meeting of the Women's Home Missionary society of the McKeesport district of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held Thursday in the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, Uniontown. There will be two sessions, one beginning at 10 A. M. and the other at 2 P. M. Members of the local society will attend.

Miss Katharine Herbert Frisbee has issued invitations for a luncheon at the William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh, followed by a theatre party at the Alvin, Saturday, April 13, in honor of her niece, Miss Mary Lyon, Gans.

Forty hours devotion, conducted in St. Rita's Italian Catholic church in the West Side, closed last night with beautiful services. There was a procession of children, followed by solemn benediction. Rev. Father Henry DeVivo, the pastor, Rev. Father Canova of Leavenworth No. 1, Rev. Father DeFrancisco of Pittsburgh and Rev. Father Lawrence McNamany, assistant to Rev. John T. Burns of the Immaculate Conception church, were in charge.

#### PERSONAL

Misses Dorothy Edwards, Mary Caroline Solson, Ora Enos and Catherine Brendel have returned to Goucher college, Baltimore, Md., after spending the spring vacation at their respective homes.

The best place to shop, after all, Brownell Shoe Company.—Adv.

Mrs. Jack Barron of New York is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard O'Connor of North First street, West Side.

Downs Shoe Store closes their final clearance sale of winter shoes next Wednesday, April 9. This is the last day to buy shoes reduced this season.—Adv.—5-2t.

Mrs. P. E. Williams and baby of Buckhannon, W. Va., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Torrey.

William Kanton and Richard Robson of Pittsburgh spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Robson of Eighth street, Greenwood.

George M. Hosack, Jr., son of Attorney and Mrs. George W. Hosack of Pittsburgh, has returned home after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Clark of Lincoln avenue. He recently returned from overseas, where he was attached to the 11th Infantry. He was slightly gassed and has been honorably discharged from the service.

We also do cleaning, pressing and repairing. Bring in that old suit and have it fixed up. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

Fred Deming, manager of the ladies' ready-to-wear department of the Wright-Metzler company store, is in New York buying goods for his department.

"Howard" was back again yesterday. He is the same amazing battery of facts and fun: a veritable dynamo of wit and eloquence."—Brook Morning Times.—Adv.—5-1t.

Miss Anna Clark of North Pittsburgh street, who was ill of influenza, is able to be out again.

Wednesday, April 9, is the last day to buy winter shoes at D. W. Shoe store at one-third off the regular price. Our stock will then be rearranged and any stock left will be sized in with our new spring and summer footware, which we have nearly all in. This is the last opportunity for this season.—Adv.—5-2t.

Miss Gertrude Lindsay, accompanied by little Miss Wanda Decker, left this morning for Baltimore to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lindsay.

"Little in size, but a whirlwind in action. His address was brilliant in thought and tremendously magnetic."—Portland Oregonian, speaking of Howard.—Adv.—5-1t.

Dr. W. J. Bailey will leave this evening for Philadelphia on business.

Mrs. E. E. Ober of Pittsburgh is visiting at the home of J. J. McFarland in the West Side.

The Ladies' Aid society of the United Brethren church will hold a bazaar and bake sale in the afternoon room of the White Sewing Machine company on South Pittsburgh street, April 12. Ladies of the church are requested to donate liberally to the sale. Bring to room in morning of April 12, 9 A. M.—Adv.—7-1t.

Mrs. S. R. Goldsmith will return tomorrow evening from New York where she has been visiting relatives for some time past.

Howard's address was a joy ride from start to finish; packed with humor, dynamic in delivery and was followed with hilarious interest."—Milwaukee Sentinel.—Adv.—8-1t.

Mrs. F. M. Wright of Ohioville was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

Marcus Newhart returned yesterday afternoon from Johnstown where he has business interests.

Have your boy's suit made to order. Prices from \$10 to \$25. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

"Great as an orator; great as an entertainer; great as an instructor, and sincere as the prophet of old."—Cambridge Times on Howard.—Adv.—5-1t.

Attorney John Kephart left this morning for Philadelphia on business.

Max Levine went to Pittsburgh this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mullen of Uniontown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Edwards of Crossland Sunday.

Hear Howard. He will make you laugh and cry and laugh again. High School Auditorium, Wednesday evening, 8:30.—Adv.—8-1t.

John Lindsay of East Green street returned home this morning from Baltimore where he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lindsay.

Mrs. Charles Wooten of Morrell avenue, Greenwood, has returned home after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Dodson, of Altoona.

Mrs. Benjamin Cook has returned from a visit with friends in Pittsburgh. Miss Mary Kerrigan has returned home after a visit of a week at Myersdale.

Miss Marcella Reich spent Sunday at Myersdale with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reich.

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#### LOCAL WAR NEWS

##### PRIVATE HARRY DODSON

##### RETURNS FROM FRANCE

Private Harry P. Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Dodson of Altoona, returned to his home Sunday morning, having been honorably discharged from military service. Private Dodson landed in New York March 25 and was transferred to Camp Merritt, N. J. Later he went to Camp Dix where he received his discharge. He was attached to Company A, 13th Machine Gun Company, Ohio National Guard, and saw 18 months of service. Dodson is in the best of health. He is a brother of Mrs. Charles Woods of Morrell avenue, Greenwood.

##### E. V. KAPLAN MUSTERED OUT OF SERVICE

Mrs. E. V. Kaplan went to Pittsburgh this morning to meet her husband, who recently arrived in the States from overseas and was honorably discharged from the service at a western training camp. Mr. Kaplan was at one time employed by the West Penn Railways company.

##### CAPTAIN HARRY WILKS UNDERGOES OPERATION

"I am in the best hospital here. I had an operation performed but I am getting along nicely. I will be out in a few days, and then I am coming home to you," says a card from Captain Harry Wilks, at Camp Lee, dated April 4, to his mother, Mrs. Georgiana Durrell, North Jefferson street.

##### CORPORAL CHARLES WHITE RETURNS HOME

Corporal Charles P. White, who was discharged from the service Sunday at Camp Jessup, Ga., arrived home here yesterday morning. Previous to his discharge Corporal White was boss plumber of the camp where he was stationed.

##### NELSON COLLINS, OHIOVILLE, REMAINS NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Collins of Ohioville have received word that their son, Nelson Collins, had arrived in the States and was stationed at Camp Upton, N. Y. He was among the first of the A. E. F. to call for France. He was wounded.

##### ARCHIE RICHARDSON IN LONDON ECONOMICS SCHOOL

Word has been received here by Rev. G. L. Richardson that his son, Archie, was one of the 2,000 American boys designed to attend the London University of Economics in London, England. When Richardson arrived in France he had been appointed a corporal and in the battle of the Argonne forest, where the Americans made such a good show, the request came for volunteers to go back into the forest to rescue wounded men.

Richardson was one of the first to step forward but was informed that if he went he would have to surrender his chevrons. He complied with the order and went into the forest together with 30 other men. Up until this time he has not been reinstated.

#### Notice

Connellsville, Pa., April 8, 1919.  
To all Members of the B. of L. E. of L. F. & E. O. R. C. and B. of R. T.:

There will be a special meeting held in the Markell Hall, corner of Pittsburgh and Apple streets, Wednesday evening, April 9, at 7:30 P. M. It is requested that all members will make a special effort to attend this meeting.

Fraternally yours,  
L. M. DOUGLAS,  
B. of L. E.  
JESSE RIDGWAY,  
B. of L. F. & E.  
G. H. STRONG,  
O. R. C.  
J. H. Bowman,  
B. of R. T.

Wedding Date Announced.  
Miss Esther Anawalt Trimble, daughter of Mrs. Grilla Trimble of Pittsburgh, formerly of Scottsdale, has selected Wednesday, April 16, as the date of her marriage to Wayne Garrison Laughlin of Georgetown, Pa. Mrs. J. C. Forman of Bessemer Terrace will entertain at a shower tomorrow afternoon in honor of Miss Trimble. Covers for thirty will be laid.

Boys Under 16.  
Do you want a penknife? Send us your name, address and age. You may be one of several who will receive a quarter knife free. Address Pioneer Company, Box 870, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Adv.—8-1t.

#### HOTELMAN DIES

William Templeton, Mount Pleasant, Victim of Pneumonia.

MOUNT PLEASANT, April 8.—William H. Templeton, 63 years old, proprietor of the National Hotel for the past 12 years and formerly a traveling salesman, died suddenly last night at his apartments at the hotel from pneumonia with which he had been suffering for a week.

Mr. Templeton was born in Washington county, near West Middletown. At the age of 11 the family moved to Canonsburg. When a young man he engaged as a traveling salesman for the Sun Shirt company and remained with that company until 18 years ago when he became manager for a season of the Pike Run country club. A year later he acquired the hotel lease. He was also owner of the National Pharmacy. In 1904 he married Miss Edna Van Winkle. The widow and a sister, Mrs. E. W. Hill, of Bellevue, survive. Mr. Templeton was an Elk and a member of the Pike Run and Brush Run country clubs.

Funeral services will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the hotel, with Rev. R. Scott of the United Presbyterian church, officiating. The body will be taken to Leesville, Pa., tomorrow for interment.

#### KOBACKER HOME SOLD

Head of Local Business Firm Moving Headquarters to Ohio State.

Alfred J. Kobacker has sold his home in Isabelle road to James Rapoport, expecting to move his place of residence to Columbus, O., the headquarters of the Kobacker stores. Mrs. Kobacker is making final arrangements for her departure from the city. Within the next week she will go to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Anderson of Pittsburgh, where she and her little daughter, Regina Mae Kobacker, will reside until they join Mr. Kobacker in Columbus.

Mr. Kobacker expects to remain in Connelville for some time and will continue to give the local store his personal attention.

#### WEAK, WEARY WOMEN

Learn the Cause of Daily Woes and End Them.

When the back aches and throbs, When the housework is a torture, When night brings no rest nor sleep, When urinary disorders set in, Women's lot is a weary one, Don's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys.

Have proved their worth in Connelville.

This is one Connelville woman's testimony.

Mrs. Frank Holt, 311 Fayette St., says: "I suffered a great deal with kidney disorder. I had dizzy spells and my head often ached and I was weak. I was told to use Don's Kidney Pills and I did. They cured me and I have been in good health since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Don's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Holt had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

#### ELKES SELLS STORE

West Crawford Avenue Dealer to Re-open at Early Date.

Julius Elkes, who for the past three years has conducted a drygoods store, catering to women of Connelville and vicinity, in the Kobacker building in West Crawford avenue, will discontinue his business in the near future.

The store will be closed tomorrow and Thursday to take inventory.

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## Home Craft Week

April 7th to 12th

Announcing Our One Week Sale on Curtains, Draperies, Rugs, Blinds and Many Other Things to Make Your Home Beautiful

MADAM HOMEMAKER, this is your week—the week that we devote to featuring home-making materials and how to use them.

Not that material things make the home; it's your personality that does that, of course. But it is through material things that your personality finds expression.

Therefore we have gathered together choice merchandise from the best mills in this country for this sale.

Washington Irving once said: "I value this delicious home feeling as one of the choicest gifts a parent can bestow."

Now is the time to get ready for the Spring and Summer time.

#### THE E. DUNN STORE

The Home of Quality and Service  
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## Nervousness and Headaches Caused by Acid-Stomach

There is a much closer connection between the stomach and brain than most people imagine. It is because of this close connection that indigestion, belching, sour, gassy stomach and other stomach troubles—all of which are signs of acid stomach—are so often followed by severe attacks of blinding, splitting headaches.

Nervousness, sleeplessness, irritability, mental depression, indigestion and many other disorders which affect the brain can also nearly always be traced to the same source—acid-stomach.

So often you hear people say "I am so nervous I think I'll go to pieces," or "It seems I never get a good night's sleep any more, my nerves are all on edge." Little do they dream that their stomach is the direct cause of their troubles because very often there are no pains in the stomach at all. So you see, you can't always judge an acid-stomach condition by the way your stomach, itself, feels.

If you are weak, nervous, unfit—if you are not up to your old time form—if you lack your accustomed enthusiasm, energy and pep—make this test, and see if it isn't acid-stomach that is holding you back—robbing you of your health, strength and vigor.

Get a box of EATONIC—the wonderful modern medicine that so quickly puts an acid stomach to rights. It is in the form of pleasant tasting tablets that you can eat like a bit of candy. EATONIC rid's the stomach of excess

acid. Brings instant relief from indigestion, heartburn, sour belching, food repeating, bloated gas and makes the stomach cool, pure, sweet and comfortable.

Doctors warn us against the bad effects of acid mucus, pointing out that the acid eats through the enamel of the teeth, causing them to decay. You can easily imagine then the amount of damage excess acid will cause to the delicate organization of the stomach.

Thousands of people are using EATONIC and the results obtained are so remarkable as to be almost unbelievable. Yet their letters of gratitude, many of which are received daily, prove absolutely that EATONIC does all and even more than we claim. The medical profession, too, recognizes the great value of this wonderful remedy.

A learned Michigan doctor wrote recently: "I have had such wonderful success with EATONIC that I want every one to know how quickly it will neutralize the acidity of the stomach (acid-stomach) and the stomach will soon be sweet and normal again, and the sick man well and happy once more."

So be sure to get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. It falls in any way to give you the kind of satisfaction you want, take it back—he will refund your money. He doesn't want one penny of your money unless EATONIC helps you.

Creel, Mount Pleasant. Sue leaves also two sisters, Mrs. A. J. Brown of the West Side, Connelville, and Mrs. J. A. McKesson of Francis avenue, this city.

The remains will be brought to Connelville Wednesday morning, in charge of Undertaker Charles C. Mitchell, and funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal church. Interment will be in Hill Grove cemetery.

MRS. JAMES MCORMICK. Mrs. James McCormick, a former resident of South Connelville, died Monday morning at her home at Latrobe. The deceased had been in poor health for some time and since the death of her son, Craig, which occurred last October, her condition became more serious and she gradually grew weaker. The deceased is survived by her husband, three daughters, Mrs. John Elmer, Latrobe, and Nellie, Gertrude and George McCormick, all at home; one sister, Mrs. E. M. Fisher; her stepfather, August Schell, both of South Connelville; two half-sisters, Mrs. John Smith of Morrell and Mrs. Alex Schoenberger of Waltersburg, and one half-brother, James Schell of South Connelville. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning from the Catholic church at Latrobe.

ANDREW ORNER. Andrew Orner, 67 years old, of Idaville, Pa., died this morning at 3 o'clock at the home of his stepson, Charles Miller, in Lower Tyrone township. Mr. Orner was stricken with paralysis soon after the arrival at the Miller home last October for a visit and was never able to return home. He was an Adams county farmer. The body will be shipped to Idaville for interment tomorrow morning by

Funeral Director W. H. Parkhill of Dawson.

JAMES K. WOODWARD. James K. Woodward, about 50 years old, died Monday afternoon in the Uniontown hospital, from a complication of diseases. The deceased was survived by his father, Samuel Woodward, Segarville; three sisters, Mrs. Edgar Glichter, and Mrs. Rufus Phillips, Newton, Kan.; Mrs. John Frasher, Smock, and one brother, Irving W. Woodward, Haddenville.

#### Salad Jell

Lime Jiffy-Jell is flavored with lime-fruit essence in a vial. It makes a tart, green salad jell.

Jiffy-Jell desserts are flavored with fruit-juice essences, highly condensed, sealed in glass.

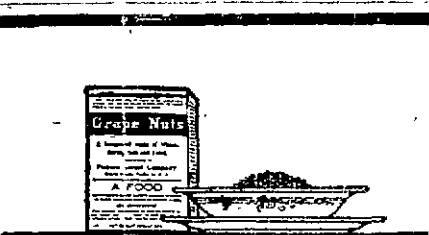
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No raise in price during or since the war



## MOUNT PLEASANT PLANS BIG STREET IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM TO SOLVE IDLENESS PROBLEM

**ouncil Authorizes Preparation of Necessary Ordinances.**

**WILL AID IN HOME-COMING**

**romise of Full Support is Given the Patriotic League in Its Arrangements for Reception and Celebration; County Memorial Tax Opposed.**

**Special to The Courier.**

MOUNT PLEASANT, April 8.—Council last evening started a movement looking toward aiding in a solution of the unemployment problem in the town by authorizing the preparation of ordinances for several pieces of street paving. It is the intention to have the work done under the direction of the street commissioner and to give employment to local citizens out of jobs. The program calls for the paving of the following:

Center avenue, connecting Washington and Main streets; Shupe street, connecting Washington and Main; Siler street, connecting Washington and Main; Cherry avenue, from the alley to Main street; Oak street, from Washington street to the Italian hall; Center avenue, from Washington street to the borough limits; and Walnut street, from Church street to College avenue. The street commissioner will do the work, giving employment to men who are out of work.

The meeting last evening was one of the busiest in months. The resignation of Councilman Harry Skiles was offered and accepted. Mr. Skiles has accepted a position as foreman at the Potomac glass factory at Cumberland, Md., and expects to move his family there. C. E. King was elected by the council to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Skiles.

William Rakusin, representing the Patriotic league, laid the matter before council of a reception for Company E, 110th Infantry, and asked for assistance from council. No action was taken but Mr. Rakusin was promised that council would stand by the league.

Among the communications received was one from the county commissioners acknowledging the receipt of a letter registering council as opposed to a special tax for the county for a county memorial. The county commissioners suggested that the matter be taken up with their attorney and be presented before the grand jury.

Burgess S. P. Stevens presented a communication from Latrobe asking cooperation with that borough and in accordance with the request a motion was adopted asking that Burgess Stevens have a petition signed and that the borough solicitor, Eugene Warden, carry this before the grand jury May 12.

A communication from the board of health asked that the town be placarded and a vigorous campaign be waged against spitting on the streets and in public buildings and that the police enforce the ordinance governing same.

An invitation from the Bohemian lodge to council and its officers to be its guests on April 20 at its 35th anniversary was read and accepted.

A petition was read asking that a manhole be opened on Vine and Smithfield streets. This was referred to the sewer committee.

Bills for pole tax from the various companies had been mailed. Replies were read at the meeting.

The fire committee was instructed to purchase necessary material to put the trucks in good shape.

A motion was adopted asking that a committee wait on the county commissioners also the state and Mr. Crow asking that a road be built to connect the road at Iron Bridge and the brick road north of town via Mount Pleasant and Church street.

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MUST PAY FOR DISCUSSION  
AND OBSTINACY.

Industry in general and the making  
of coke in the Connelville region in  
particular is being made to pay a  
pretty stiff price for the obstinacy of  
Director General Hines of the Rail-  
road Administration in his contention  
with the industrial board of the De-  
partment of Commerce over the sched-  
ule of steel prices.

With additional ovens being blown  
out, even to the extent of placing  
whole plants on the idle list which  
have been in continuous operation for  
years, and with the working time re-  
duced to two and four days per week,  
the mine and coke yard employees and  
operators are confronted with a condi-  
tion which, if the Railroad Adminis-  
tration persists in its refusal to give  
the steel mills orders for rails, means  
more complete cessation of activity  
than the region has known for years.

Already considerably more than  
one-half of the ovens are out of blast  
and these active are being operated  
only part of the time. The steel in-  
dustry, suffering stagnation in propor-  
tion to the same degree and in all  
industries dependent upon steel and  
coke unemployment is becoming more  
and more noticeable.

While these conditions grow apace  
the heads of war-time administrations  
and boards wrangle with each other  
over which shall have the last word.

"It says the Pittsburgh Courier Times,"  
the disagreement were only an acade-  
mic discussion of economics it could  
be borne with patience, but unfortun-  
ately it is the cause of men being  
thrown out of work at the very time  
the need for steady employment is  
greatest from every viewpoint. On  
the day that Director General Hines  
decided about the published schedule  
of steel and iron prices was made  
known one of the big Pittsburgh steel  
companies decided another blast fur-  
nace would have to go out. That  
meant an immediate cut in the already  
shortened working time of the men,  
backed up along the line from the  
furnace employees to the coke drawers  
and even to the coal diggers far re-  
moved from the plant.

In Washington we have theory; in  
Pittsburgh we have cold, unalterable  
fact. And how is a plant superintendent  
to explain Washington theory to  
laborers, suddenly laid off? It can't be  
done. The hope of the steel men lies  
in orders from the railroads. They  
say that as soon as the railroads come  
into the market the automobile in-  
dustry and the agricultural implement  
people, consumers of cold drawn prod-  
uct, will follow. Just now, they con-  
tinue, everybody is waiting, looking  
for lower prices. In the meantime the  
great industrial communities of the  
United States are watching the em-  
ployment situation grow unstable.

The whole situation is but the nat-  
ural and logical consequence of the  
failure to make any systematic or co-  
ordinated plan for the readjustment  
of industry to a peace time basis. The  
heads of rival bodies in Washington,  
each seeking to magnify their impor-  
tance stubbornly insist upon the adop-  
tion of their ill-digested plans, unable  
to grasp the necessity and importance  
of cooperation as a means of promot-  
ing a revival of industry.

Meanwhile the coke region, through  
the loss of wages by its employees and  
lost business of its industries and mer-  
cantile establishments, must pay and  
pay heavily, for discussion and ob-  
stinacy.

Every furnace blown out means  
that one more coke tonnage or more  
to close down in turn. But what mat-  
ters it to Director General Hines how  
many men are left without jobs in the  
coke region, so long as he has his way  
about placing orders that will start  
the industrial revival special on its  
way?

Judging from the many hopeful an-  
nouncements of an early cessation of  
peace one would suspect that Judge  
Garr, the cheerful optimist of the  
steel trade, had been annexed to the  
publicity department of the peace com-  
mission.

If Director General Hines is no  
more concerned about employees of the  
Baltimore & Ohio railroad being kept  
busy than he is in providing employ-  
ment for the steel and coke workers,  
there won't be any coke traffic to  
rescue.

The song of the lawn mower is be-  
ing heard these rainy April evenings.

War gardens will not be the style  
this year but peace gardens will be a  
necessity.

With coke ovens continuing to be  
blown out at the rate of 100 or more  
per week it is an interesting ques-  
tionary on a newspaper's knowledge  
of current events to note its observa-  
tions on the coke trade outlook im-  
proving.

If France is given what the fought  
for it will be because her peace com-  
missioners fought at the peace table  
as gallantly as her soldiers did in the  
trenches, and because of the magnanimity  
of Wilson and Lloyd-George.

The Antidote  
For Bolshevism

From American Metal Market.

Bolshevism in Russia arose from  
discontent and when it dies will die  
of discontent. If the Russian govern-  
ment and Russian industry had been  
successful there would have been no  
Bolshevism. In the United States,  
therefore, the antidote for Bolshev-  
ism is good government and good in-  
dustrial conditions.

The cure of Bolshevism where it ex-  
ists is time, producing the discontent  
which causes men to seek change, and  
at the same time bringing about en-  
lightenment, producing education.

The idea in the old saying that half  
the world does not know how the other  
half lives is susceptible to much wider  
application. Half the world does not  
know what the other half thinks, and  
education is necessary. A popular or-  
ror is that it is only those who are  
prone to Bolshevism that need to be  
educated. Those on the other side,  
the so-called enlightened class, need  
also to be educated. They do not get  
the viewpoint of those who need en-  
lightenment. As a matter of fact, the  
theory is rather good and clear up to  
a certain point. As nature made this  
world everybody had to go forth and  
fight for his food and clothing. Man  
has established a system whereby such  
direct action is impossible. The work-  
man can secure food only by getting a  
job. If no job is offered, why not take  
charge of the factory and operate it? It  
is of no immediate value to the owner  
when it is idle.

The insurmountable obstacle to the  
success of Bolshevism is that the ma-  
jority of men will not work volunta-  
rily. The observation does not apply  
to the laborer only. One can see  
traces of it much farther up. The vice  
president or treasurer of a steel com-  
pany who is a larger owner works  
harder and more intelligently than  
the one who has merely a salary and  
qualifying shares to act as director.

The Bolsheviks are held to be very  
crude and ignorant in that they do  
not realize that capital is necessary for  
successful manufacturing, that there  
must be funds for extensions, even for  
repairs. It is astonishing how ignor-  
ant they are.

It is simply awful, indeed, how ig-  
norant half the world is. The other  
half, of course, is perfectly enlight-  
ened. It never makes any such blun-  
ders. Here in the United States, for  
instance, a manufacturer has never  
failed because he did not provide him-  
self with enough capital. Dun and  
Bradstreet have never reported busi-  
ness failures due to inadequate cap-  
ital.

In the enlightened United States  
there have never been manufacturers  
who did not provide for maintaining  
the plants. It is only the ignorant  
Bolsheviks in Russia who do that. Here  
in the United States cost ac-  
counts have invariably been kept cor-  
rectly. Every manufacturer has al-  
ways made proper and sufficient de-  
preciation allowances. It is thought  
that when Mr. Hurley was a member  
of the Federal Trade Commission he  
used to make speeches saying that the  
chief thing wrong with American busi-  
ness men was that they did not keep  
their costs correctly, that they did not  
allow enough for depreciation, or did  
not keep accounts at all, hence the  
production costs were higher than  
they thought they were. This rec-  
ognition is all wrong, of course. Mr.  
Hurley, or anybody else, never had  
occasion to hint anything of the sort.

The other half needs first to get  
the Bolshevik viewpoint and next to  
recognize that the mistakes the Bol-  
sheviks make, that capital is neces-  
sary, that factories must be kept up  
as well as operated, and that men  
used an incentive to work, are not  
mistakes that only the other half  
make, that they are mistakes more or  
less common to all men.

The antidote for Bolshevism in the  
United States is employment and good  
government, preventing discontent.  
The cure for Bolshevism where it has  
taken hold is its failure, producing  
discontent, just as discontent brought  
it about in the first place. Both the  
Bolsheviks and the anti-Bolsheviks  
need to learn that there is something  
in the other side's viewpoint. The  
Bolshevik needs to learn that the  
capitalist is not so simply amass-  
ing money, as he thinks, but of play-  
ing the game, of making things go.

Wilson "A Sinister Spirit."

Colonel Henry Waterson in Philadel-  
phia, North America, said:

I think events, helped along by the  
President himself, will verify my  
forecast that he is not merely a candi-  
date for a third term in the White  
House, but that for a nomination  
such he holds all the winning cards  
in his hands.

The Democratic party, so called, he  
long ago abolished, having previously  
much debauched it. Nothing of it sur-  
vives except the latter label, and he  
holds that between his thumb and fore-  
finger. I am inclined to believe, how-  
ever, that he has eliminated the United  
States from his immediate activities  
as an established conquest, and is now  
giving his mighty thought to the sublim-  
ation of the world.

A virtuous, right-minded man thus  
situate would emulate the humility of  
a Washington and the humanity of a  
Lincoln. Mr. Wilson sees nothing but  
himself and his personal ambition;  
lives for nothing except his own ad-  
vantage; seeks nothing save power and  
authority, the concrete things of ruler-  
ship represented by the regal splendors  
and feudal glories, which, who some-  
what frayed and faded, still go on  
about him.

As a consequence of his maladroitness  
tinkering Europe will find itself the  
middle of the coming summer in  
flames. Then we shall have him home  
again urging intervention. It has been  
his mission in life to make trouble  
wherever he appeared.

We should steer clear of European  
complications. Never has there been  
a time when the admonitions of Wash-  
ington, Jefferson and Monroe carried  
greater weight. Mr. Wilson's mediocre  
mind and colossal vanity have already  
carried him far at sea. It is ours to  
look to it that he does not carry the  
country to the shipwreck of his insti-  
tutions.

## Before the Higher Court—



## Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

## THE SUN.

When brooding clouds have shed their  
juice, for days in dreary strains,  
how good to see the sun cut loose,  
and shed its well-known beams! How op-  
timistic we become, when those smooth  
beams descend! And we've been look-  
ing blue and glum for dismal days on  
end. On black, forbidding, cloudy days,  
this life has little charm; we scowling  
our divers ways, and view things  
with alarm. We talk about our pains  
and aches, and of expensive pills; of  
how the soulless grocer makes ten  
profits on his bills. And as we journey  
we lament, among the rains and fogs,  
and say the ding-donged government  
is going to the dogs. All things an-  
noy all prospects vex, and sorrow  
fills the land; we fall upon each  
other's neck and weep to beat the  
band. And then some morning comes  
the sun in robes of fire arrayed, the  
good old orb that takes the bun, and  
makes all others fade. Across a sky  
of cloudless blue it burns its blaz-  
ing way, and all the world is good as  
new, and we cry, "Hip, hooray!" For-  
getten are the dimnesses of which we  
made our whine; the sun dispersed  
them when he rose, and started in to  
shine.

## Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

## THE HUMBLE MAN.

He might have prospered by a cunning  
trick.  
By mean advantage reached a splen-  
did goal;  
He might have stifled conscience, over-  
quick  
To hint of deeds which undermine  
the soul.  
Wealth had been his for living out a  
life.  
But gold and silver at such price he  
spurned.  
"I'll brave the world and hold my  
head up high."  
He answered, "taking only what I've  
earned."

Had he left his children all alone  
While he went out in search of  
worldly fame  
High rank and pomp of power he  
might have known.  
For there are joys that selfishness  
may claim.  
But he preferred to tread a humbler  
way.

To be a father good and kind and  
wise;  
To be with them he loved and share  
their plans;  
And find his pleasure in their laugh-  
ing eyes.

He spurned the plaudits of the  
throne to keep  
The comradeship of his devoted few.  
He never held a friend he loved so  
cheap.  
That he dismissed him for a great  
or small  
And though he passed at last, not  
widely known,  
His soul went on without one scar  
or stain.  
The joys of earth had all been his to  
own.  
And he was sure he had not lived  
in vain.

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furniture, household goods, etc? Stor-  
age space can be had at very reason-  
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Notice.

A MEETING OF THE LOT OWNERS  
in the Hill Grove Cemetery will be  
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I WILL HAVE A CAR OF NO. 1,  
7 feet 5 inch locust fence posts on  
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Inquire at Liberty Mine, or Union-  
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BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR  
school supplies and floor oil until  
Saturday, April 10, Perry Township  
School District. W. L. FISBECK, Sec-  
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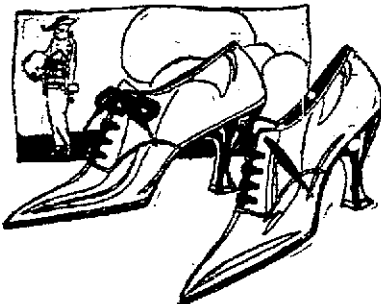
EASTER  
FLOWERS

The Union Supply Company stores will  
have a complete line of potted plants, consist-  
ing of Asters, Begonias, Coleus, Dusty Miller,  
Fuchsias, Geraniums, Heliotrope, Hydran-  
geas, Tuberoses, Verbenias, Phlox, etc. From  
now until Easter Sunday our stocks will be  
complete. We will also be able to furnish you  
cut ovens in case you need them for Easter  
Sunday—lilies, roses, tulips, daffodils, and  
other popular kinds. The flower business is  
not a money making proposition, we are  
handling these goods strictly for your accom-  
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them for your homes, churches, etc. If you  
are going to need a quantity you should see the  
store manager, give him your order in ample  
time to provide for you. The potted plants  
that we are offering you, some of them bloom-  
ing, others will bloom soon, with a little care  
and attention, water regularly, keep regular  
temperature, etc., you can carry these plants  
a limited time in the house. After you tire of  
them they can be transplanted to your flower  
bed.

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An up to the minute style for Spring, 1918.  
In Patent Kid, Tan Kid and Black Kid—\$8.00, \$8.50  
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## NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

The Lutheran and Methodist Churches to Observe Holy Week.

OR. BASH HERE ON THURSDAY

Noted Pittsburgher Will Speak in Methodist Church on Centenary Movement; Lieutenant Ralph Wiggins Here on Visit; Other News.

Special to The Courier  
SCOTSDALE, April 8.—The Lutheran church and the Methodist Episcopal church will observe Holy Week next week with services each night.

Infant Dies.  
Peter Zocco, aged two months son of Peter Zocco of East Scottdale died at his home on Sunday evening and was buried yesterday afternoon in the St. John's cemetery Scottdale.

Ladies' Day Resumed.  
Ladies' day was resumed at the Y M C A yesterday. The swimming pool was opened and the attendance was very good. The old interest and enthusiasm seemed to be shown everywhere among the girls.

Dr. Bash Coming.  
Dr. Apolito, Bash one of Pittsburgh's most noted ministers, will speak in the Methodist church Thursday evening at 7:45 in the interest of the centenary movement.

Lieutenant Wiggins Here.  
Lieutenant Ralph R. Wiggins a former Scottdale boy, an engineer with the government in Panama, who has been almost around the globe since America entered the war, is visiting friends in Scottdale.

To Resume Practice.  
Sergeant Meyer Morris, one of the coming attorneys at the Westmoreland county bar who left with District No. 7 draftees and reported at Camp Forrest after serving almost a year there has been honorably discharged. After spending a month at rest Attorney Morris will re-open offices in Scottdale and Greensburg.

Restaurant Closed.  
The sheriff came to Scottdale yesterday and closed the Broadway restaurant. It was stated later in the afternoon that the proprietor, a Greek, had disappeared.

Photograph Fund.  
Mrs. Hallie Metzger and Mrs. Wesley Metzger went to Strickler school and assisted Miss Lillian Gregory in holding a box social at which she cleared \$119 for a photograph for the school.

To All Thrifty People.  
This thrift occasion means very large savings on new Easter and spring merchandise for your family. This early spring and Easter cut-price sale further demonstrates this store's value giving leadership experienced in new and specially bought goods of the better sort—distinguished by style—at prices phenomenally low.

Women's New Easter Suits \$12.95, etc. Women's new Easter dresses, \$9.98, etc. Women's largest and best selection of millinery \$2.95, etc. Women's skits wonderful assortment, \$3.95, etc. Children's gingham silk and white dresses \$1.95, etc. Girls' capes and coats \$4.98, etc.

Come in now and do your Easter shopping while the assortments are complete and prices including Bendig's Broadway Ladies' Store as you get off the car, Scottdale Pa.—Adv.—8-11

Personal.  
Misses Isabel Markle Elizabeth Miller, Lucille Porter and Celeste Loucks left this morning to take up their studies at Indiana Normal following the Easter vacation.

Mrs. F. C. Wray is in Pittsburgh visiting her daughter Edna Wray. Miss Nellie Lynch of Pittsburgh spent Sunday at her home here.

245 BILLIONS  
That is the Estimated Wealth of the United States.

It is a tremendous sum isn't it? Nearly \$2500 for every man woman and child in the country. Some of it should be in YOUR name. Some of it will be very soon if you start a savings account and put by a little regularly. The First National of Connellsville invites your account and pays liberal interest.—Adv.

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Then use our classified column. Results will follow.

Get Your Digestion in Shape

Many ailments are caused by stomach weakness. Faulty digestion leads to biliousness, sick headache, dizziness, sallow skin and eruptions. Maintain a healthy condition of the stomach and you will get rid of the chief cause of your sufferings. Do not neglect the laws of health. Keep stomach, liver and bowels in order by timely use of

**BEECHAM'S PILLS**

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

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Attend the Joyful Obsequies  
A BONE DRY

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For John Barleycorn  
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEDNESDAY APRIL 9th  
8:30 P. M., High School Auditorium

Under the joint auspices of Connellsville Ministerial Association and Pennsylvania Anti-Saloon League

CLINTON N. HOWARD

"The Little Giant" to Officiate at These Joyful Obsequies.

Subject

"A JOY RIDE TO THE GRAVE"

Friends and foes of the departed are invited to attend. No mourning and no flowers, but everyone wearing a smile is the order of the day.

Similar celebrations are being held in New York Boston Providence Philadelphia Baltimore Buffalo Rochester Pittsburg and scores of other cities. Get on the Water Wagon.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

### PRESBYTERIANS MOVE ON

Total in Membership Contest Mounted Sunday to \$24; Goal 650.

The attendance at the Presbyterian Sunday school picked up again on Sunday compared with the previous week there being a gain of 32 members.

An endeavor will be made to reach the quota of 650 by next Sunday. The attendance by classes Sunday follows:

Name	Quota	Mar 30	Apr 6
W. A. Edie	165	120	125
Jos. McConnell	35	21	19
T. J. Hooper	100	71	71
H. Geo. May	30	19	21
J. A. Armstrong	15	11	14
John Davis	25	15	14
Mrs. Young	25	23	30
Mrs. Proudfoot	25	19	19
Miss Patterson	30	17	18
Miss Sauter	25	17	13
Mrs. Thomas	25	17	13
Miss Sherrick	20	13	15
Miss Ruth	20	11	14
Mr. Thomas	30	17	19
Miss Herpich	20	21	22
Mr. Hall	20	11	13
Mrs. Whiteley	40	48	60
Visitors and teachers		21	17
		492	524

### FRAIL, DELICATE CHILD

Restored to Health by Vinol.

Manville, R. I.—The whooping cough—and later the measles left my little boy of eight years with no appetite, thin, frail, delicate and tired all the time. After everything else had failed Vinol gave him a hearty appetite, restored his strength and he is now as well as ever.—Mrs. James H. Hall.

The beef and cod liver peptones iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates contained in Vinol were just what this little boy needed to restore him to health. We strongly recommend Vinol.

Laurel Drug Co., Connellsville, D. C. Eason, Dumbler, and Druggists everywhere.

P. S.—Our Saxon Salve stops itching and begins healing at once.—Adv.

### Pittstown.

PRITTSVILLE, April 7.—Emanuel Dannecker has moved his family from Scottdale to the home of his father-in-law Abram Ridenour.

J. L. Freed purchased the Samuel Adams property and moved into his new home on Tuesday. Mr. Freed will continue to keep his grocery store in the same location for a short time.

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Mrs. Roy Atkinson and sons and sister Laura Bowser spent Saturday in Mount Pleasant with friends.

John Paul has moved into the new house which he recently purchased from the Newcomer Coal company.

Bert Freed has moved his family from Pennsville and is occupying one of the John Truax houses Mr. Freed disposed of his store in Pennsville before moving here.

Miss Sarah Ingram of Scottdale was the guest of her friend Miss Baulah Rignour several days last week.

Thomas Mardis moved his family Tuesday into his house which he recently purchased.

Flora Davis was a Scottdale shopper on Saturday.

Edward Pearson moved his family to the Ryan property west of Scottdale.

Jacob Boyer of Ohio is very ill at the home of his sister Mrs. David Wright.

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a back number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. Condition, not years, puts you in the discard. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings old age prematurely.

The body functions are impaired and unpleasant symptoms appear. The weak spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find your order. Your spine will be softened, your muscles supple, your mind active, and your body capable of hard work.

Don't wait until you have been rejected. Commence to be a first-class man now. Go to your druggist at once and get a bottle of GOLD MEDAL HARRISON OIL Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Harrison Oil—the kind your great grandfather used. Two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In three sizes, sealed packages.

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51x90 in Seamless Sheets, \$2.00 value at \$1.69

Huck Towels, size 18x31 inches, 25c value at 19c

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Dexter's Knitting Cotton, special ball 6c

New Novelty Voiles, special, a yard 25c

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At \$10.90, \$12.50, \$15, \$19.75, \$29.75, \$39.50 and up to \$79.50

Hundreds and hundreds of the best quality—best value—best styled garments you have ever seen in Connellsville at the prices. Yes, worth even \$5 to \$15 more.

### 1000 New Easter Hats

In astonishing array of colors, shapes and trimmings. Every one priced at a distinct saving in price—

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Large Hats, small Hats and medium-sized Hats. Many stunning all-black Hats featured; flower trimmed Hats—in fact, every new advanced creation is displayed in this special Easter collection for girls, misses, women and elderly women.

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### White's Rainbow Girls

Present the Laugh Sensation

### "The Wrong Room"

Happy Gibbs in his real element. The funniest of them all

See happy Gibbs in the wrong room. New songs, dances, costumes and scenery. Don't miss this.

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Beautiful Actress Says

"A Short Message With Howard's Buttermilk Cream at Night Before Retiring Is All That Is Necessary"

No matter whether you are troubled with a poor complexion, wrinkles, puffiness around the eyes, freckles, crow's feet or lines around the mouth, ugly finger nails or just a simple roughness of the face hands or arms caused by wind or sun, you will find that any or all of these troubles will quickly disappear with the use of Howard's Buttermilk Cream.

To prove this to your complete satisfaction get a small quantity today at C. Roy Hetzel, Connellsville Drug Co. with the understanding that they will freely return the purchase money on any dissatisfied user. Be sure to get

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Blood and Nerve Tablets

Make One Of The

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A powerful blood builder, a wonderful flesh builder, and restorative to the system, giving health, strength and vigor to the weak, emaciated, convalescent, and overworked. They correct diseases arising from poor and watery blood, improve circulation and shattered nerves. They make you feel younger and look younger. They make you well and keep you well.

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Is appreciated by very few people. The popular idea of eye strain is that it is rare, and in many cases imaginary. But no person who is even a little bit up on optics holds that view. The truth is that abnormal vision is very prevalent and its results far more serious than most people imagine. Help your eyes with our glasses.

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PETEE DINK—She Must Have Smoked From Babyhood



"YES IT'LL BE THE BEST THING FOR THE COUNTRY IF THEY DO PROHIBIT TOBACCO."

"IT'S RUINING THE COUNTRY."



"I WISH THEY HAD

## EDDIE COLLINS ONE OF HIGH-PAID STARS

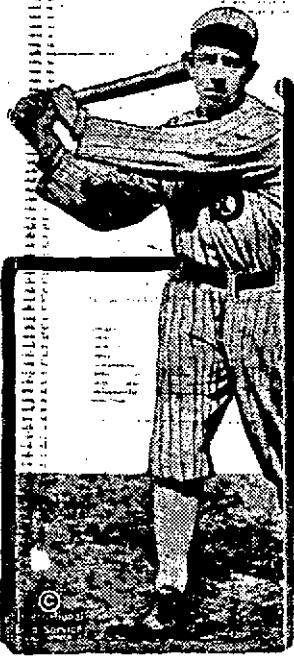
Contract With White Sox Will Net \$10,000 in Cash.

Second-Backer in Last Four Years Has Drawn More Money Than Any Other Player With Exception of Cobb and Speaker.

Charles Comiskey, owner of the White Sox, has been charged by baseball fans with underpaying his ball players. It has been gossip that the Chicago National League team has always given its men higher salaries. The contract Eddie Collins, second baseman, has with the White Sox chief does not make it appear as if the players on the South side were poorly paid. Collins is one of the highest salaried men in the game, and in the last four years probably has drawn more money than any other man in the major leagues, with the exception of Ty Cobb and Tim Lincecum.

The second-backer's contract with the White Sox expires with the close of the coming season, and when it does he will have earned for himself approximately \$100,000.

Collins was purchased from the Philadelphia Athletics for a price reported to have been \$50,000. Before he signed a contract with President Comiskey, starting the year of 1916, he was given a bonus of \$15,000 and a salary cutting for the same amount. He has drawn



Eddie Collins.

that each year since and receives it each year for the last time, as his contract terminates in the fall. Besides the bonus he obtained for signing, and his yearly salary, Collins was counted in on city series and a world's series.

This, in addition to being paid \$500 a year for three years for being captain of the club, nets him a total of \$1,150 since joining the White Sox. His stipend this season increases that to \$1,600, and if Kid Gleason wins the American league championship, Collins will add a few thousand to that. If the team does not win and the Cubs do not succeed in taking the flag in the National League there will be a city series out of which Collins will collect more revenue.

## DEMPSEY PICKED FOR TITLE

Tommy Burns, Former Heavyweight Champion of World, Thinks Young Man "Will Win."

Tommy Burns, one-time heavyweight champion of the world, thinks Jack Dempsey will defeat Jess Willard in the two ever meet.

"Willard is champion because nature was good to him," Burns said. "His enormous size handicaps his opponents. I do not think he has any



Tommy Burns.

of the boxing science that characterized former champions. On the other hand, Dempsey is in good condition, is very heavy, has a terrific punch, and, unlike Willard, has some of the attributes of a boxer."

## FRANK DARCY QUITE CLEVER

Younger Brother of Late Lamented Les Has Won Eight-Out of Eleven Contests.

Frank Darcy, younger brother of the late lamented Les, who is known as "Fitz," is eighteen years old and is a very clever boxer. He weighs 142 pounds. Although he has not been boxing a great while he has won eight out of eleven contests, losing on points in the three losses. His most brilliant feat was knocking out Dan Tierney,

## REPORT THAT EARL CADDOCK, CHAMPION WRESTLER, WILL QUIT IS NOT BELIEVED



Photograph of Sergeant Earl Caddock Taken in France.

Friends of Earl Caddock, world's wrestling champion, are inclined to accept with reservation the announcement just received from France that he had decided to quit wrestling and turn farmer exclusively.

This information was contained in a special bulletin from the overseas edition of the Camp Dodge, the publication of the Eighty-eighth division, to which Caddock was attached as sergeant. It came from Grandcourt, France, and was as follows:

"Caddock is on his way home, but he will wrestle no more. Before he left the division, he told his friends that when he was released from the army he was going to retire permanently from the struggles of the mat and turn farmer."

On Account of Wife. "It is to be a Wyoming ranch, and it's all on account of friend wife. For Caddock frankly admitted that his

wife objected to the wrestling game. He said he had cleaned up \$50,000 in the last year and was ready to retire anyway. He added that he would ignore all the many offers of matches he had received.

"Caddock left the Eighty-eighth division at Lagney to attend an officers' training school, but the armistice was signed before he could complete his course. His name was brought to the fore at the announcement of the coming Olympic games at Paris next spring and the Eighty-eighth wired to find out whether he was coming back. They received a telegram that he was on his way home."

Anxious to Defend Title. Every previous report had been that Caddock was anxious to defend his title and would meet all logical opponents. It has been known here, however, that Mrs. Caddock has never favored his continuance in the wrestling game.

## At the Theatres.



The Rainbow Girls.

### THE ARCADE.

WHITE'S RAINBOW GIRLS.—Yesterday at the Arcade was the opening performance of White's Rainbow Girls, and there is nothing left to be desired in the line of music, beauty and comedy. The opening bill entitled "The New Cook," was just a riot of mirth and melody from the opening to the finale. As a special feature Marion Drew does a specialty juggling act, the most sensational part of which is the fire juggling. The Rainbow Quartet is up to the minute in the line of harmony. It was just one series of comic situations and fine music from start to finish. The Rainbow Girls will present on Wednesday its second bill entitled "The Wrong Room." "Happy" Gibbs has the principle role, black, and when he gets in the wrong room things begin to happen. The photograph offering for Wednesday and Thursday will be the Vitaphone serial, "The Iron Test," featuring Antonio Moreno and Carol Holloway.

### THE SOISSON.

"AS THE SUN WENT DOWN."—A Western melodrama of the old-fashioned type, harking back to the manner of Bret Harte, is being shown today, with Edith Storey in the leading role. It is a production that abounds in entertaining characters, all carefully drawn and possessing strong individual interest. There are some fine moments and pathos in the story, and some strong situations. One of these is where the rough Westerners escort the fledgling minister to the home of an outcast woman, pretending she runs a quiet respectable boarding house. The woman known as "Colonel Billy," is portrayed by Miss Storey, and the story is largely concerned with the regeneration of this character. There is a good intermingling of humor and pathos. Other members of the cast are Lewis J. Cody, Harry S. Northrup, William Brunton and others. A selected comedy is also being shown. Wednesday and Thursday "The Common Cause," a picture of intense motion, tragedy and quality will be presented. It is a wonderful emotional, heart-throbbing picture of Europe.

### THE PARAMOUNT.

"FROM HEADQUARTERS."—The greatest police story ever written, and providing Anita Stewart, the beautiful screen star, with a delightful role, is being shown today. Miss Stewart portrays the role of Rose Peters who believes in man. She looked on the protestations of love of one of the species as gospel. She was one of the thousands who were yet to be saved by the asp of doubt. In that maddening moment when the mask fell from the face of the smiling, too much smiling, Lothario, she typified outraged womanhood, holding with her power and her palm the thing called retribution. And when that inscrutable

force eddied circumstance put her father, as an emissary of justice, on a trail that doubled back to his own home, there to find his daughter cowering, with the fear in her eyes that told him that she had looked on that which was the semblance of death, did he execute the warrant, which would publicly place on her forehead the brand of Cain. Big scenes and swift action are features of this big production. Not for an instant does the suspense lag, or the interest slacken from the opening scene to the tremendously dramatic close. "From Headquarters" will amaze by the boldness of its theme. Nothing approaches the emotional heights she reaches in this picture, she is supported by Earle Williams, and other screen stars of prominence. Wednesday Mary MacLaren will be seen in an interesting production.

## "TIZ" FIXES ACHING, SWOLLEN, SORE FEET

How "Tiz" Does Comfort Tired, Burning, Caloused Feet and Corns.

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An eastern newspaper laments the passing of the attic. The modern home is without this historical museum of the family. And as for the flat-why, the attic of the flat is a miserable little storeroom in the basement. Where the attic once flourished in the old-fashioned mansion with the clock on the stairs, there is now a luxurious suite for the cook, or for the boys. And the walls have paper with pink roses on it, and there is plumbing and all that sort of thing. Where are the trivial fond recollections of the family's long or recent past now kept?

In this section of the country we take heart of grace. A sale to aid the cause of woman suffrage reveals the outpouring, if not of the old familiar attic, yet something that must have taken its place—possibly the larger and more frequent closet "with a window in it."

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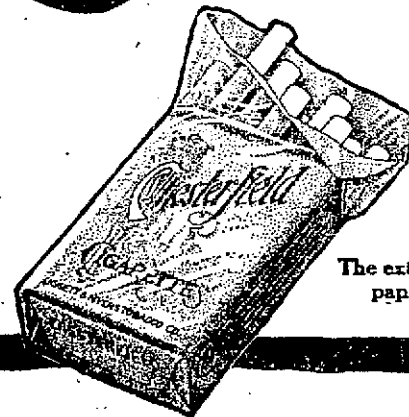
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## MASHIE IS THE MOST POPULAR GOLF CLUB

That the mashie is the most popular golf club is the opinion of Dr. W. S. Harban of Washington, who is vice president of the United States Golf association. Drivers, brassies, putters and putters have been sent to camp with great generosity, but mashies have not been forthcoming.

Doctor Harban, who originated this plan of giving the enlisted men an opportunity to practice swings at old moments wherever there happens to be a stretch of convenient country, says that this settles the question which has been argued so often at the nineteenth hole exclusively. Hereafter it will be assumed that to the majority of golf enthusiasts, the mashie is the hardest club to part with.

The attic may go, but the attic spirit remains. Somebody in the world somewhere wants these things. They come out and are "snapped up." If there is no attic in the modern house there must be something that corresponds to it. Is it a big closet somewhere, or is there a room at the top that still gathers the odds and ends—Minneapolis Journal.

## ASSERTS POLO IS EXACTING

Eric Pedley of Leland-Stanford Says Game is Faster Than Any Other Kind of Sport.

Eric Pedley, the all-around Leland-Stanford athlete, names polo as a game more exacting than boxing, tennis, football, baseball and the list of other competitive games in which Pedley has been identified at Stanford. He says that polo is faster, requires quicker and keener judgment and more condition than any other sport. Pedley has been playing the game for the last nine years, his father having been an enthusiast in southern California, where he raised and bred polo ponies for his pleasure. When the Stanford student was fourteen years of age, he proved a sensation in the tournaments that were held at Riverside and other southern California points.

The Chicago Cubs are first to announce the new styles in uniforms. President-Manager Mitchell has ordered steel blue with navy blue trimmings for traveling suits, while the ordinary white for home wear will be relieved by a black stripe about half an inch wide.

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"I think I have a slight acquaintance with the chauffeur," said Barnes. "He gave me the most thrilling motor ride I've ever experienced. God, I'll never forget it."

The two men looked at him, plainly perplexed.

"When was all this?" inquired De Soto.

"Early last evening. He picked up your latest guest at the corner, and she insisted in his driving me to the tavern before the storm broke. I've been terribly anxious about her. She must have been caught out in all that frightful rain."

"What's this you are saying, Mr. Barnes?" cut in De Soto, frowning. "No guest arrived at Green Fancy last evening, nor was one expected."

Barnes stared. "Do you mean to say that she didn't get there, after all?"

"She? A woman, was it?" demanded O'Dowd. "Behind, if she said she was coming to Green Fancy she was speaking you. Are you sure it was old Peter who gave you that jolly ride?"

"No, I am not sure," said Barnes uneasily. "She was about, having walked from the station below. I met her at the corner and she asked me if I knew how far it was to Green Fancy, or something like that. Said she was going there. Then along came the automobile, rattling down this very road—an ancient Panhard driven by an old coddler. She seemed to think it was all right to hop in and trust herself to him, although she'd never seen him before."

"The antique Panhard fits in all right," said O'Dowd, "but I'm hanged if the woman fits at all. No such person arrived at Green Fancy last night."

"Did you get a square look at the driver's face?" demanded De Soto.

"It was almost too dark to see, but he was old, hatchet-faced, and spoke with an accent."

"Then it couldn't have been Peter," said De Soto positively. "He's old, right enough, but he is as big as the side of a house, with a face like a full moon, and he is Yankee to his toes. By god, Barnes, the plot thickens! A woman has been added to the mystery. Now, who the devil is she and what has become of her?"

## CHAPTER VI.

Charity Begins Far From Home, and a Strife in the Wilderness Follows.

Mr. Rushcroft was furious when he arose at eleven o'clock on the morning after the double murder, having slept like a top through all of the commotion. He boomed all over the place, vocal castigations falling right and left on the guilty and the innocent without distinction.

"I don't see how you managed to sleep through it," Barnes broke in. "You must have an unusually clear conscience, Mr. Rushcroft."

"I haven't any conscience at all, sir," roared the star. "I had an unusually full stomach, that's what was the matter with me. I take oath now, sir, never to eat again as long as I live. A man who cannot govern his beastly appetite ought to defy it, if nothing else."

"I gather from that remark that you omitted breakfast this morning."

"Breakfast, sir? In God's name, I implore you not to refer to anything so disgusting as stewed prunes and bacon at a time like this. My mind is—"

"How about luncheon? Will you join me at twelve-thirty?"

"That's quite another matter," said Mr. Rushcroft readily. "Luncheon is an aesthetic tribute to the physical intelligence of man, if you know what I mean. I shall be delighted to join you."

"Twelve-thirty, did you say?"

"It would give me great pleasure if your daughter would also grace the festive board. I think it is too bad that she has to go about in the gown she wears," Mr. Rushcroft said Barnes. "She's much too splendid for that. I have a proposition I'd like to make to you later on. I cannot make it, however, without consulting Miss Thackeray's feelings."

"My dear fellow!" beamed Rushcroft, setting the other's hand. "One frequently reads in books about it coming like this, at first sight, but, damn it, I never dreamed that it ever really happened. Count on me! She ought to leave the stage the door child. No more fitted to it than an Easter lily. Her place is in the home, the—"

"Good Lord, I am not thinking of—"

And Barnes, aghast, stopped before blurting out the words that trapped to his lips. "I mean to say this is a proposition that may suit your very excellent companion, Bacon and Dillinger, as well as yourself."

At twelve-thirty sharp Barnes came down from his room freshly shaved and brushed, to find not only Mr. Rushcroft and Miss Thackeray awaiting him in the office, but the Messrs. Dillinger and Bacon as well.

"I took the liberty, old fellow," said Rushcroft, addressing Barnes. "As asking my excellent co-workers to join us in our request."

"Delighted to have you with us, gentlemen," said Barnes effusively.

The sole topic of conversation for the first half hour was the mysterious slaying of their fellow lodgers. Mr. Rushcroft complained bitterly of the outrageous, high-handed action of the coroner and sheriff in imposing upon him and his company the same restrictions that had been applied to Barnes. They were not to leave the county until the preliminary jury was

word. One would have thought, to hear the star's indignant lamentations, that he and his party were in a position to depart when they pleased. It would have been difficult to imagine that he was not actually rolling in money instead of being absolutely penniless.

Barnes had been immersed in his own thoughts for some time. A slight frown, as of reflection, darkened his eyes. Suddenly—perhaps impulsively—he interrupted Mr. Rushcroft's flow of eloquence.

"Have you any objection, Mr. Rushcroft, to a more or less personal question concerning your own private—er—misfortunes?" he asked, leaning forward.

For a moment one could have heard a pin drop. Mr. Rushcroft evidently held his breath. There could be no mistake about that.

"It's rather delicate, but would you mind telling me just how much you were stuck up for by the—er—was it a writ of attachment?"

"It was," said the star. "A writ of inquisition, you might as well substitute. The act of a polluted, impetuous, parasitic—what shall I say? Well, I will be as simple as possible—hotel keeper. Ninety-seven dollars and forty cents. For that pitiful amount he subjected me to—"

"Well, that isn't so bad," said Barnes, vastly relieved. He was covertly watching Miss Thackeray's indignant face as he ventured upon the proposition he had decided to put before them. "I am prepared and willing to advance this amount, Mr. Rushcroft, and to take your personal note as security."

Rushcroft leaned back in his chair and stuck his thumbs in the armbolts of his vest. He displayed no undue elation. Instead he affected profound calculations. His daughter shot a swift, searching look at the would-be Samaritan. There was a heightened color in her cheeks.

"Moreover, I shall be happy to increase the amount of the loan sufficiently to cover your return at once to New York, if you so desire—by train," Barnes smiled as he added the last two words.

"Extremely kind of you, my dear Barnes," said the actor, running his fingers through his hair. "Your faith in me is most gratifying. I—I really don't know what to say to you, sir."

"May I inquire just how you expect to profit by this transaction, Mr. Barnes?" Miss Thackeray asked steadily.

He started, catching her meaning. "My dear Miss Thackeray," he exclaimed, "this transaction is solely between your father and me. I shall have no other claim to press."

"I wish I could believe that," she said.

"You may believe it," he assured her.

"It isn't the usual course," she said quietly, and her face brightened. "You are not like most men, Mr. Barnes."

"My dear child," said Rushcroft, "you must leave this matter to our friend and me. I fancy I know an honest man when I see him. My dear fellow, fortune is but temporarily frowning upon me. In a few weeks I shall be on my feet again, zipping along on the crest of the wave. I dare say I can return the money to you in a month or six weeks. If—"

"Oh, father!" cried Miss Thackeray. "We'll make it six months, and I'll pay any rate of interest you desire. Six per cent, eight per cent, ten per—"

"Six per cent, sir, and we will make it a year from date."

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Rushcroft took the whole affair with the most noteworthy complacency. He seemed to regard it as his due, or, more properly speaking as if he were doing Barnes a great favor in allowing him to lend money to a person of his importance.

"A thought has just come to me, my dear fellow," he remarked as they arose from table. "With the proper kind of backing I could put over one of the most stupendous things the theatre has known in fifty years. I don't mind saying to you—although it's rather sub rosa—that I have written a play—a four-act drama that will pack the biggest house on Broadway to the roof for as many months as we'd care to stay. Perhaps you will allow me to talk it over with you a little later on. You will be interested, I'm sure. Sign, sir, I'll read the play to you. If—When ho, landlord. Have your best automobile sent around to the door as quickly as possible. A couple of my men are going to Hornville to fetch hither my—"

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The mellow voice of the Irishman soon responded to Barnes' call.

"I called you up to relieve your mind regarding the young woman who came last night," he said. "You observe that I say 'came.' She's quite all right, safe and sound, and no cause for concern. I thought you meant that she was coming here as a guest, and so I made the very natural mistake of saying she hadn't come at all. At all. The young woman in question is Mrs. Van Dyke's maid. But, bless me, how was I to know she was even in existence, much less expected by train or motor or Shanks' mare? Well, she's here, so there's the end of our mystery."

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"Perfectly. Thank you for letting me know. My mind is at rest. Good-by." As he hung up the receiver he said to himself, "You are a most affable, convincing chap, Mr. O'Dowd, but I don't believe a word you say. That woman is no lady's maid, and you'll know all the time that she was there."

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In the presence of the judge, the prosecuting attorney, the witnesses and other spectators the prisoner invokes the gods and the demi-gods to bear witness to the truth of his statement of innocence. A copper or iron bowl filled with boiling oil is placed before him.

In this bowl are a black pebble and a white pebble, each the size of an egg, and each tied in a bag. The prisoner washes his hands in water, then in milk, and then with a section of the law written on a tablet with the blood of a cow slain for the purpose is read to him. When the reading is ended he plunges his hand into the boiling oil and brings out one of the pebbles.

If he has taken out the white pebble without wounding his hand he is believed to be innocent and is released. But if his hand is scalded he is believed to be only partially innocent. If it is the black pebble that he brings up, and if his hand is scalded he is pronounced guilty and pays the penalty for the crime of which he is accused.

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## DIVERGENT VIEWS OF JUDGES OF WESTMORELAND WHICH WILL MAKE COUNTY BONE DRY MAY 1

Below are found in part the opinions rendered at Greensburg Saturday by Judges A. D. McConnell and D. J. Snyder which resulted in every application for liquor license in Westmoreland county being refused.

### JUDGE MCCONNELL'S ATTITUDE

In Judge McConnell reviewed the situation as follows:

"The position taken by one member of this court, as I understand it, is that owing to certain acts of Congress, owing to the constitution of the United States, owing to the results of the last election for members of the legislature, owing to the result of the gubernatorial election where the governor had announced beforehand that he favored the adoption of the amendment to the constitution of the United States, owing to these things, it is supposed that our license law, which has been on the statute books for almost a generation, is nullified or overshadowed, or modified, so that it is not proper now to grant any licenses under that law.

"If that be the law we are entirely content. The business of granting or refusing licenses is not a pleasant one to any self-respecting court. It is a function that invites more criticism than all other things combined. I am entirely willing to follow the law wherever it leads.

"All we wish to emphasize is the fact that the act of Congress, approved November 21, 1918, was to become operative at a future date, to wit: the 30th of June, 1919, and that it was not to be operative necessarily as a permanent law but was subject to a proclamation by the President. In addition to that, an amendment to the constitution of the United States has been adopted by the requisite number of states. Before we leave that subject, about the power of the Congress of the United States to repeal the majestic laws of the state bearing upon the liquor traffic, there is no authority, or was no authority recited there, dealing directly on that subject, except for certain national purposes. We are not, on this act of Congress, as dealing with anything else than a national question. There is no attempt directly to operate on the liquor laws of any state.

"The only conference the two members of this court have had did not last 10 minutes. There was no consideration of the individual applications that were presented to the court. The proposition we have been speaking of was the proposition that was mentioned. Of course, if that is a sound legal proposition, these acts of Congress have terminated the efficacy of our license law; but if that proposition is not a sound one then this court has not performed its duty by dealing in conference with the individual applications and saying from such examination and from such conference whether or not the particular licenses should be granted.

"The question of necessity for these houses has been passed on time and time again. The question of the fitness of the men who apply has been heard on, passed upon almost every case, except perhaps in two cases. But so it is that the granting of these applications requires affirmative action by both members of the court. They do not have that. Therefore the thing asked for is not granted; the application fails. Practically, it is in effect the same as if both judges conclude by conference that they should not be granted.

"There was one thing that we neglected to say at the proper time about the significance of political events that were adverted to, and that was the spirit of the Legislature of Pennsylvania as manifested by the adoption of the national amendment. Now that Legislature had no thought that in ratifying the amendment it was striking down the existing license law. That can be shown to a demonstration because that same Legislature has since it convened and since the ratification passed an amendment to our existing law regulating the manner of paying the necessary fees when the licenses are granted. That is something that bears on the question of the judgment of our Legislature as to whether we have a license law that is efficacious or is not. It would be a vain thing for the legislature, meaning that licenses should come to an end, to pass a foolish act of that kind if it was not contemplated that there would be occasion for the application of that license law.

"Our President of the United States is giving plenty of warning to persons engaged in the business as to when

they might expect the efficacy of the law passed by them to operate on existing liquor legislation in the different states. The amendment to the constitution gives plenty of warning about this matter. It gives ample time for the man who engages in the business to adjust himself to the changed conditions of things, the change that was contemplated, and which will come in to being in the proper way in the future. It was not the object of those making this amendment to the constitution to make that amendment unnecessary, drastic. All I want to know is the law.

"That, so far as my personal action is concerned, will be followed no matter what the consequences may be, and if I do not follow that I consider myself unworthy of the place I occupy. These things I say because of the unusual result that has taken place in a session of this license court. I want it to be perfectly understood on what basis the applications are denied. I want it to be known why our law stands on the statute book unmodified by any other legislation; that it is in its spirit that they may be allowed to be efficacious as heretofore. All these are my personal views. They are not the view of both members of this court."

### JUDGE SNYDER'S VIEWS

Judge Snyder's opinion in part was: "We have before us 188 applications for license to sell intoxicating liquors. It is the duty of the court to dispose of these applications according to the law and the facts. The Act of Assembly under which they are presented provides, inter alia, as follows:

"Such licenses may be granted only by the Court of Quarter Sessions of the county and shall be for one year from a date fixed by a rule or standing order of said court."

"The fixing of the date is mandatory upon the court, and the rule adopted in pursuance of this statute is as binding on the court as the statute itself."

"In accordance with the directions of that statute, the Court of Quarter Sessions of Westmoreland county many years ago adopted the following rule: 'Applications will be heard on the fourth Monday of March in each year and any license granted shall be for one year from the first day of May following, etc.'

"It is apparent, therefore, that any license granted at this time will be an authority from the State of Pennsylvania to sell intoxicating liquors from the first day of May, 1919, to the first day of May, 1920. The court has no power or authority to grant a license for the fractional part of a year."

"By the constitution of the United States, the sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited after January 16, 1920. To sell intoxicating liquors after January 16, 1920, is clearly in violation of the federal constitution. For the state or any court to attempt to grant an authority to an individual to sell intoxicating liquors after that date is just as clearly repugnant to the federal constitution, and therefore illegal."

"But there is another and more potent reason why these licenses should be refused. It is incumbent upon the court to pass upon the preponderance of the proofs under the law. The question to be determined is whether the license applied for is necessary for the accommodation of the traveling public. The necessity of a hotel at a particular place is not the determining factor, but is merely some persuasive evidence to be weighed with the other proofs before the court."

"A finding by the license court that a place is necessary as a hotel does not involve that it is necessary as a drinking place, and a refusal to grant a retail license for such a place will not be reversed on appeal."

"Forty-five out of 48 states ratified this amendment, and many of them by almost a unanimous vote. In the last gubernatorial election in Pennsylvania the ratification of this amendment was the paramount issue, and the candidate in favor of ratification was elected by an overwhelming majority. Later, the legislature of Pennsylvania by a substantial majority ratified this amendment, thus declaring liquors were not necessary for the traveling public in Pennsylvania."

"Time and time again has Westmoreland county registered its protest against the sale of intoxicating liquors by sweeping majorities. In a similar way the various communities affected by such licenses, with but perhaps two exceptions, have given emphatic expression to the fact that licenses were not necessary for the traveling public."

"It has been earnestly argued that many of the applicants have invested large sums of money in liquor and that it would be but fair to permit them to routine selling until the supply is exhausted, or until they are forced to cease selling by some specific prohibitory law. Such arguments are wide of the point in issue. They do not aid us in determining whether any particular license is necessary or whether the granting of such license would be primarily for the public good, or whether the applicant is a fit person to whom a license should be granted. These are the only questions before us."

"In view of the amendment to the federal constitution a licensee could not hope for a renewal of his license after next year, and would, therefore, feel under no obligation to observe the rules of court. The court would thus be placed in the pitiable position of being compelled to sit impotently by and see them flagrantly and arrogantly violate every rule of court with impunity. This would place the county in a deplorable condition. The saloons could and probably would keep open all night, and each district would be flooded with intoxicating liquors. As a consequence we would experience a reign of drunkenness, debauchery and crime unprecedented in the history of Westmoreland county."

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